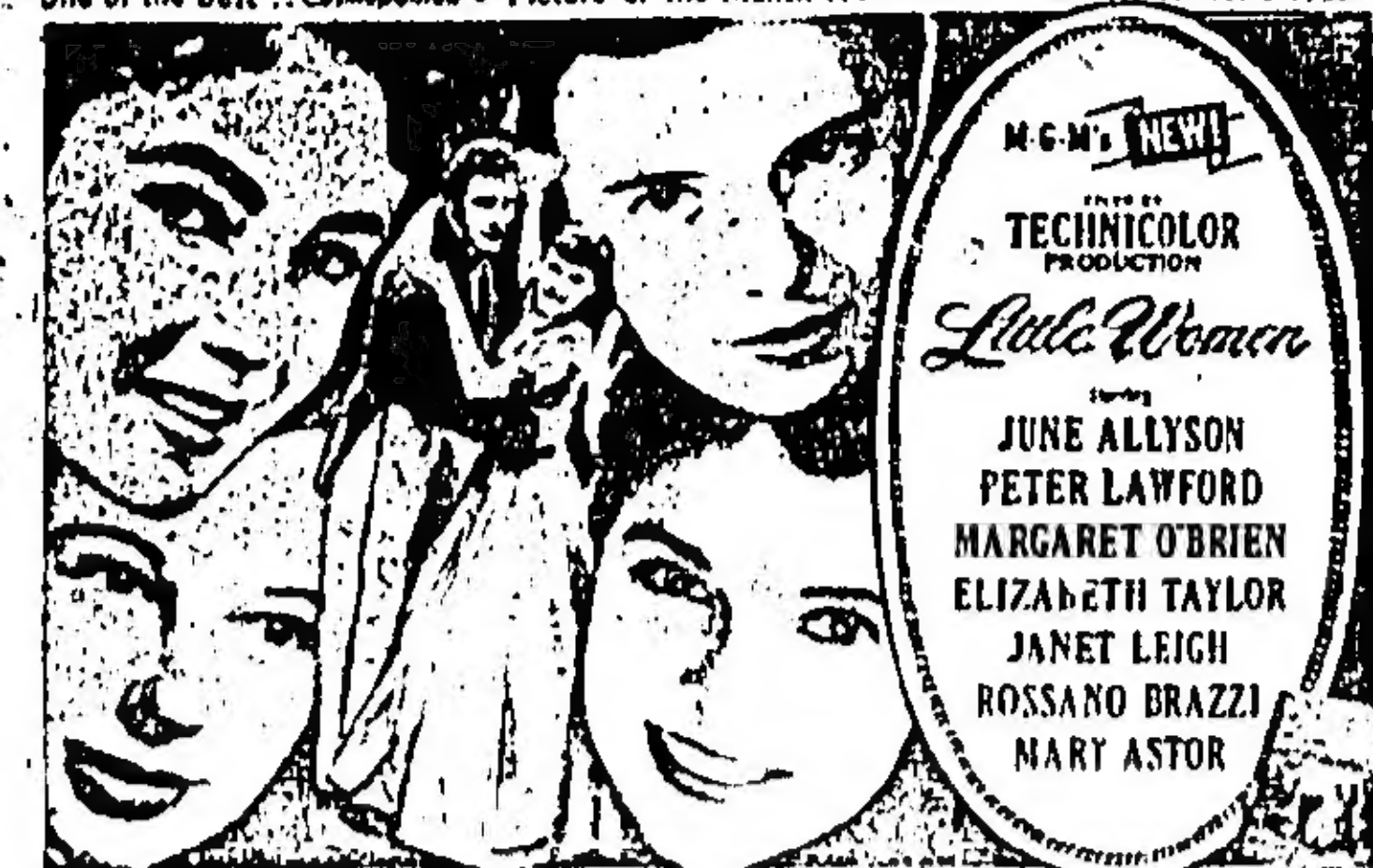


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WOMANSENSE

Must fashion go back to 1927 knee-length horrors?

by SUSAN DEACON

WE are being told that women's dress will be influenced mainly by the 1927 look. I can't think why!

There was never a fashion more unkind to women than the straight knee-length skirt and flat-bosomed silhouette of the late '20s.

Fashion designers searching for a "New Look" should look elsewhere for their inspiration.

The 1919 look has settled down—why distort it?

The mid-calf hemline, slightly padded shoulders, and straight skirts are elegant, and for most women easy to wear.

Our waists and bustlines are in the right place and we are comfortable.

Even an up-to-date version of the 1927 look with a higher waistline, would be unattractive.



The curpeless silhouette given by a shapeless bodice is seen in both these outfits. Uneven hemline and short skirt of the late '20s

As accessories to this fashion trend I hear that the plain court shoe, too, must go, and that shoes will be pointed, buckled and strapped.

Pendant earrings reaching almost to shoulder length will take the place of the pearl half-rings and small drops, and, doubtless, to complete the flapper look, will be the long cigarette holder and the shingle.

Watch for sales snags

There are some bargains to be found in women's clothes in the big sales, but remember that all reductions are not equal. Some are really bargains, but others are not. The trouble is that the sales are so general, and the goods are so mixed, that it is difficult to pick out the real bargains.

For example, a woman's dress made of a material that is not fashionable, or a dress that is not well made, or a dress that is not in good condition, are not bargains.

It is better to buy a dress that is well made, in good condition, and of a material that is fashionable, than to buy a dress that is cheap, but of poor quality.



Not Only At Christmas!

By G. C. MYERS, Ph.D.

MOST parents have a shaped plan of how to spend Christmas. They want their children to have a good time, and they want them to learn something. They want them to be happy, and they want them to be good.

But what if the children are not happy, and they are not good? What if they are bored, and they are misbehaving? What if they are not learning anything, and they are not having a good time?

Then the parents are in trouble. They are not doing their job, and they are not being good parents.

HONGKONG
MENUS

Our cookery expert, Mrs. Ida Bailey Allen, has prepared for her readers some Hongkong menus which her friend, Mr. L. G. Shreve, an ECA official in China, suggested. The first of these will be featured in her department tomorrow.

Native Women Of Pacific Inspire Veteran To Create "Charm Guild"

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 15.—A 28-year-old veteran of the Pacific war, had a five-year dream fulfilled the day he sat down for the first time at his impressive desk in the offices of Charm Guild, Inc.

"I'm putting beauty on a production line," he said. "I've been thinking about it for years. Ever since the day I saw a native woman in the South Pacific."

Charm Guild is a combination beauty salon, mod shop, school, fashion centre and portrait photography. A woman can buy the latest fashion clothes, or get her hair styled, or have her portrait made. And she can do all at the same time.

One of the unique things about Michel's business is that a woman, bored after a day's shopping, can go in for a portrait and still look like a movie star when she gets in front of the camera.

By JAMES W. HART

After looking at native women for a few months, Michel reached a decision. "I promised myself that when I got home, I was going to do everything I could to make American women even more beautiful than they already were. You might say I felt like a crusader. I wanted to dedicate myself to beauty in women."

When he was discharged from the Navy at the end of the war, Michel studied business administration at the University of Pittsburgh. In June, 1949, he was graduated and started looking around for business prospects.

He consulted a beauty parlour operator who had been well known in Pittsburgh for 18 years. Together, they developed his plans.

"The thing began to snowball," Michel said. "Every day we talked about it, it seemed to get a little bigger."

Beauty to Michel is more than just having the proper clothes and hair-do. He thinks women should have poise and an air of regality about them. Hence the modelling school. The photographer was just an added service.

But Michel is more than just a crusader. He thinks he has a pretty good idea for making money, too.—United Press.



Josef Abel, fashion designer in Frankfurt, Germany, shows some of the portraits he turned out on his typewriter. In background is Rita Hayworth.

Tips on Complexion Care



If you have trouble getting your face really clean try using a cleansing meal twice a week. Or there's a new deep-dew cleansing cream that does a thorough job, too.

By HELEN FOLLE

OLD as the hills is the practice of using oils on the skin to keep it soft and smooth and to protect it from the elements. As it was found that oil was not convenient to handle, soaps were like foam were added to compound a substance that would off the face to the fingers. These are, of course, the so-called "cleansing" soaps. They are not as effective for general cleansing and beautifying of the complexion as emollients or creams.

Some liquid emollients are the favorite of some women to be used when they want to make a new face for dinner. They can be rubbed on the skin, or used to form packs or masks. Some are in the form of a cream, and some are in the form of a powder.

A good rule is this: a thin cream for cleansing, and for treating sunburn, a heavy one for moisturizing during the half hour before going to bed when one attends to one's patchitude ticks. The light cream can be used for removing make up. Then the face is washed with water and a bland soap, and a rich cream is applied to remain on overnight.

The longer a cream remains on the face, the better and more far-reaching are the results. The face is left soft and supple, and the skin is left clean and healthy.

There are skins that rebel against soap and only cosmetics can help. One must, under these conditions, clean the face with a cosmetic meal, sprinkled on a moist wash cloth, and the cosmetic cream is applied to remain on overnight.

Certainly, it is wise to "feed one's face." Women who started early in life to use beauty aids are the ones who keep looking youthful.

Let's Eat

BY IDA BAILEY ALLEN

Varied Recipes Make Fish A Boon To Your Pocket-book

"I MAINTAIN, Madame, that to provide better meals for less money, the homemaker must have in her repertoire a number of good fish dishes to serve during the week. For example, a simple fish and potato chowder is a tasty dish for the home dinner. And it can be made from any light-colored fresh or frozen fish, or a combination of fish and shellfish. The French bouillabaisse, over which gourmet's snack their lips, is really a fish chowder, made from several varieties and cleverly speeded. In America, also, you are fortunate to have a fine supply of fresh and tinned salmon. The salmon milk chowder which you had me taste for luncheon was really excellent."

"And tinned salmon also makes the most appetizing cakes, Chef, especially when it is combined with cooked rice, and it's delicious escalloped with tinned corn kernels with a fluffy mashed potato topping. Then there is tinned tuna fish. A good suggestion for luncheon is a big Idaho potato, with a fluffy gratin tuna filling, delightful with a vegetable plate."

Varieties

"Of course, Madame, if the food budget is not limited, you have the wonderful Maine lobsters, the Long Island oysters, and the Maryland crabs; the Florida pompano, the Louisiana shrimp, white fish from the Great Lakes, the Colorado rainbow trout."

"Now wait a minute, Chef. Those are all de luxe foods. And we are talking about better meals for less money."

"Ah, oui, Madame! So I would suggest a good roast fish dinner once each week, a cod, or haddock, red snapper, catfish, sea bass or pike, for example. And for a second fish service each week, a tasty dish made from porgies, mackerel, perch or other small fish, or frozen fillets, such as the tomato-baked fish in our menu."

Dinner

Vegetable Soup with Dumplings
Tomato-Baked Porgies or Mackerel
Baked Potatoes
Summer Squash
Cabbage Salad with "Green Dressing"
Apple Cream Pie
Coffee or Tea Milk (Children)

Include enriched or whole grain bread or rolls with butter or margarine.
All Measurements Are Level
Recipes Serve Four

Tomato-Baked Porgies Or Mackerel

Clean, split and season (two 1 lb.) porgies or mackerel. Rub the fish with 1/4 tsp. powdered thyme or marjoram, and place in an oiled baking pan. Dust with salt and pepper. Put a layer of seasoned, drained, tinned tomato inside each fish. Surround with tomato. Dot the fish with 1 tsp. margarine, shortening or saffron fat, and bake 35 min. in a moderate oven, 350 F, or until the flesh flakes when tested with a fork. Serve sprinkled with parsley.

Tomato-Baked Fish Fillets

In place of whole fish, use from 1 1/2 to 2 lbs. fish fillets any kind. Season as described above. Place half the fillets in an oiled baking pan. Cover with seasoned tinned tomatoes, then with a second layer of fillets, and finish as directed.

Suggestion of the Chef

To make "green dressing" for cabbage salad, combine 2 tsp. minced green pepper, 1 tsp. minced parsley, 1/2 tsp. minced fresh dill and 1/4 c. French dressing.

PICTORIAL NEWSFRONT



HE HAS THE KNOW-HOW—Starting with such basic raw materials as lard tins, old hot plates and discarded vacuum cleaners, young Johnny Clive Williams, 16, of Fayette, Alabama, is setting a fast pace for future farmers. His electrical achievements on the farm have won considerable attention. He is shown here with two of his four registered Jersey cows.



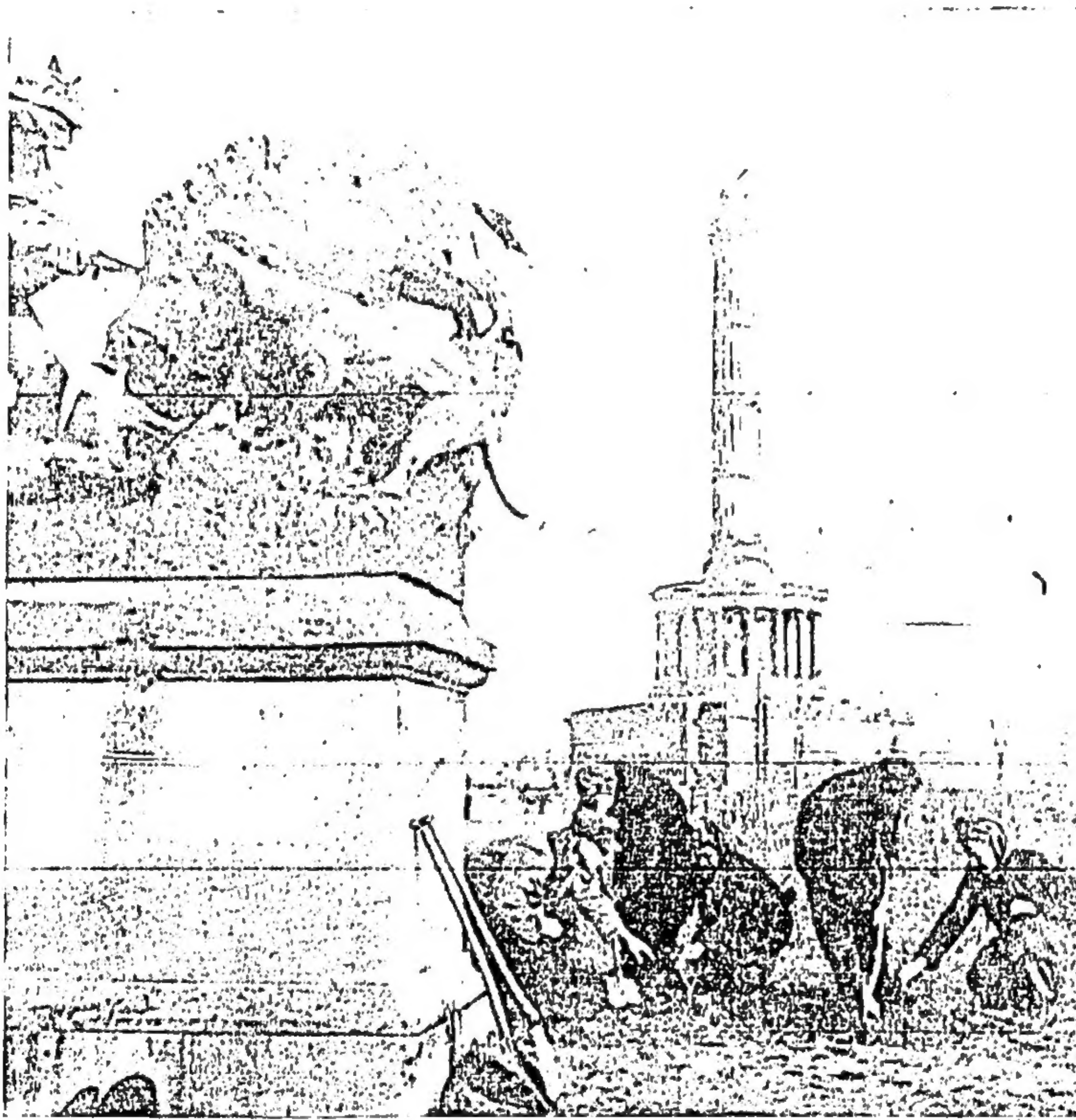
THOROUGHLY ESCORTED—Dressed in miniature uniforms of the Lancers, two youthful but soldierly pages escort this young bridesmaid to a wedding in London. Their dignified bearing must indicate the great responsibility they feel.



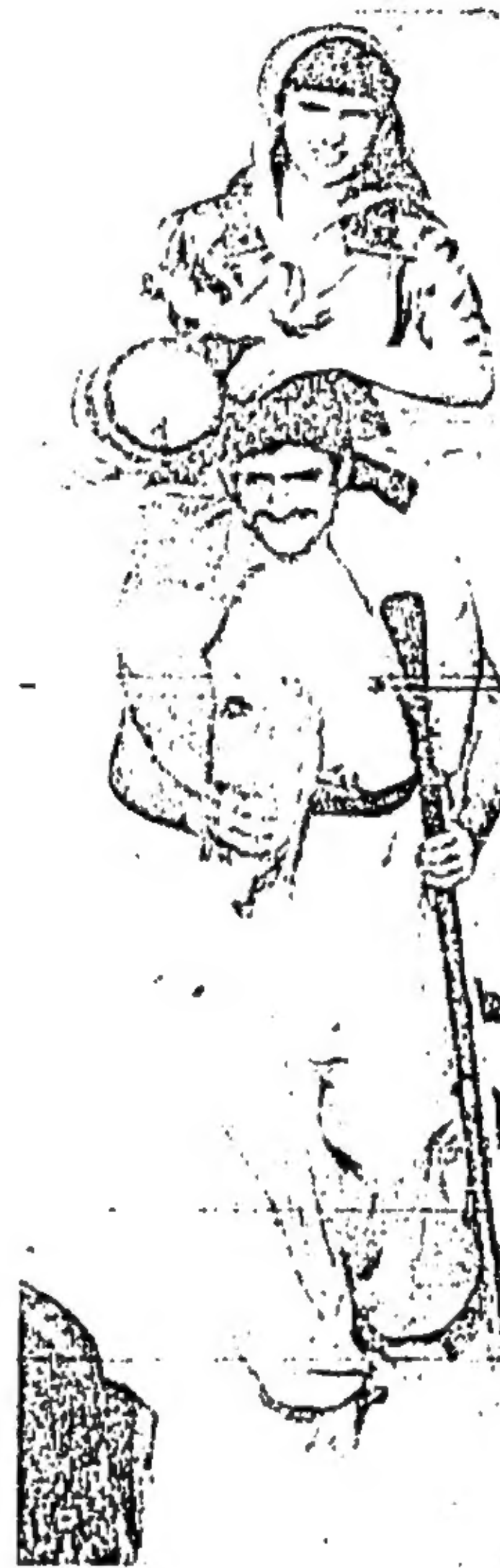
GROWING UP—Actress Joan Crawford has been the star of many Hollywood premieres. On this occasion, she's treating two of her adopted children, Christine, left, and Christopher, to their first one in the film capital.



PISTOL-PACKIN' STARLET—Laura Elliott appears well-armed, in addition to being well-endowed with natural beauty. Laura's one of the busiest starlets in Hollywood, having appeared in 10 films in 15 months.



REPLANT BERLIN BATTLEGROUND—Gardeners plant small trees in the famous Tiergarten, which was destroyed during the battle for Berlin. The city of Bremen sent a gift of 30,000 oak, beech and lime trees to Berlin. In the foreground is a bullet-scarred monument depicting a wild boar hunt. In the background is a triumphal column.



RIDING HIGH—Claudette Stacey rides along the beach at San Juan, Puerto Rico, on the shoulders of Tomas Sanchez. They are dressed as pirates in search of rum.



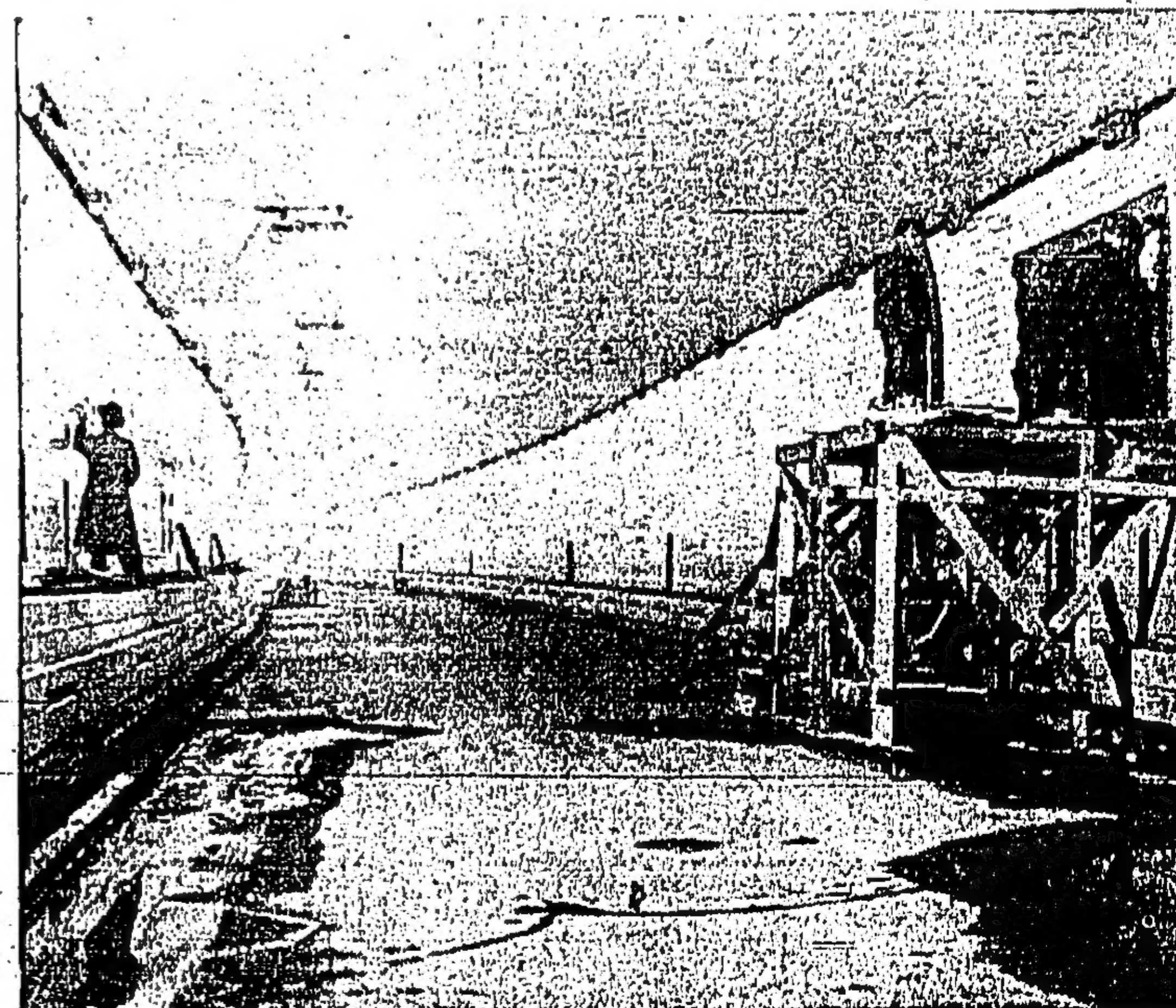
GUARDING THE STATUE—Colourful Swiss Guards stand by this 14-foot-high marble statue of Pope Pius XI in the chapel of St Sebastian in St Peter's Basilica, Rome. The statue was unveiled during a solemn ceremony attended by Pope Pius XII, who read a message of praise for his predecessor.



GUESTS AT PUPPET SHOW—These New York youngsters display a variety of moods as they watch a puppet show. The kiddies were guests at a children's party at which they were given ice cream, cake and gifts.



CONGRATULATIONS—After Margaret Truman made her first New York song recital, opera star Lauritz Melchior kissed her heartily backstage at Carnegie Hall.



FOR HAPPY MOTORISTS—The longest tile job ever undertaken in the U.S. is nearing completion in New York City's new \$80,000,000 Brooklyn-Battery tunnel. More than 780,000 square feet of tile, or enough for 6,500 average bathrooms, are being used on this job, which will be completed next spring. Here workmen are putting the finishing touches on a completed portion of the tunnel.

"No Question Of Anti-Communist Plan" At Colombo

NEHRU INTERVIEWED ON HOMEWARD TRIP

Nagpur, Jan. 15.—The Prime Minister of India, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, indicated here today that while South-east Asian problems loomed large at the Colombo Conference of Commonwealth Ministers, there was no question of any joint defence plan against Communist aggression being visualised by it.

Making the first Ministerial comment since the Conference disbanded yesterday, Pandit Nehru told reporters at Nagpur Airport: "We did not even discuss it."

There was no question of Vietnam had been the subject of any discussion at the Indo-China Plan for Asia, but it was not considered necessary to help in the development of South-east Asia economically and industrially.

Acknowledging what was said by the progressive policy referred to in the first conference, Pandit Nehru said that the Commonwealth Ministers had not discussed the subject of joint defence plan against Communist aggression.

He said: "One of the major factors of the situation is the industrial backwardness of South-east Asia and it was not considered necessary to help in the development of South-east Asia economically and industrially."

"NO COMMITMENT"
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Appeal To Privy Council

LEAVE GRANTED

Leave to appeal to the Privy Council against their decision in allowing an appeal brought by Messrs Johnson and Company, of 12 Pedder Street, was given by the Crown by the Full Court, comprising the Chief Justice, Sir Leslie Gibson, and the Puisne Judge, Mr Justice Gould, this morning.

Messrs Johnson and Company had successfully appealed against the decision of Mr Justice Williams (Sitting in the Court of Appeal) who ruled that a sum of \$38,000, being business profits derived from the Colony from the trade carried on under a chargeable for profits tax under Section 16 (1) of the Inland Revenue Ordinance.

The original appeal was brought by the Crown against the finding of a Board of Revenue in favour of Messrs Johnson and Company. The Board held that the sum of \$38,000 was not assessable to profits tax.

The Full Court in reversing the decision of Mr Justice Williams, found that the sum named was not liable to business profits tax as taxable profits of the year 1947. Messrs Johnson and Company were also given the costs of the appeal to the Full Court and in the Court below.

CROWN'S OFFER

The respondent, Mr E. W. Pudney (Commissioner of Inland Revenue) was represented by Mr A. Hooton (Crown Counsel). Mr John McNeill, instructed by Mr H. J. Armstrong (Deacons) appeared for the appellants.

In making his application for leave to appeal to the Privy Council, Mr Hooton said the Crown were willing to pay the costs to date within three months, but asked that should there be a reversal of the Full Court's finding the costs should be repaid by appellants.

Offering no objection to the Crown's application, Mr McNeill, however, submitted that the question of costs was discretionary and argued that no order should be made that the costs be repaid in the event of the Crown being successful. The Chief Justice, in conjunction with the Puisne Judge, granted the application for leave to appeal on the following terms: (1) The Crown to pay costs to date within three months; (2) the Crown undertakes to pay the costs of the appeal—solicitors and client—to the Privy Council in any event, but gives no undertaking as to costs of the proceedings in Hongkong; and (3) the record to be settled but not printed within three months.

Experts Probe "Poison-Arrow" Theory



Monique, 20-year-old heiress-wife of Don John Carlos da Silva Ramos, son of a former Brazilian consul at Biarritz, who was recently found dead in France. Paris experts believe she may have been killed by curare, the poison used on arrow-tips by South American Indians. Monique's husband (right) is being held by the police.



India's 'Iron Man' Has 5-Year Plan

Calcutta, Jan. 15.—The Deputy Prime Minister of India, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, today urged all Indians to "work together for the next five years" to make India strong and prosperous.

Patel, in a speech at the annual meeting of the Indian National Congress, said that the country was at a crossroads and that the people must work together to build a strong and prosperous India.

Time Extension For Filing Allotment Of Shares

An application by the Universal Enterprise Ltd., of 501 Victory House, for a week's extension of time within which to file a return of allotments of shares made by the Company on March 3, 1949, was granted by the Chief Justice, Sir Leslie Gibson, at the Supreme Court this morning.

Mr H. L. Wright, who acted for the Company, said that the application was made for a week's extension of time within which to file a return of allotments of shares made by the Company on March 3, 1949, was granted by the Chief Justice, Sir Leslie Gibson, at the Supreme Court this morning.

STUDY STALIN, CZECHS TOLD

Prague, Jan. 15.—By the Czechoslovak artillery officer, who is bound to "perfect his fighting skill, improve his political education and study Stalin's military science," General F. S. Stalina, Minister of Defence, told his troops today in a Czechoslovak Artillery Day Order of the Day.

The Chief Justice remarked that in such an event a substitute Secretary should have been appointed to take over the duties of the Secretary. Mr Wright said that even if a substitute Secretary had been appointed he would still have been out of time as such an appointment was not made until July last. It seemed rather hard on the Company, under the circumstances, that they should be faced with prosecution through the Secretary being detained in Shanghai in previous cases in which Council had appeared no prosecutions had been taken out, except the exceptionally bad case of the Peninsula Taxi Company, who were nearly three years out of time. In the other cases, Counsel said, the Registrar, Mr Blair-Kerr, had accepted the explanation offered and had not noticed prosecution. Had the

Taikoo Dock Engineer's Sudden Death

Mr Thomas Charles Barclay, plant engineer of the Taikoo Dockyard, died of a sudden heart attack in his home at 16 Stanley Terrace, Quarry Bay, at midnight last night. He is survived by his wife and a son, Campbell, of Messrs Jardine Matheson and Company, Ltd. Mr Barclay, who would have been 50 in a week's time, joined the Taikoo Sugar Refinery as a power plant engineer in 1924 when he came from Shanghai. He was transferred to Taikoo Dockyard in May, 1945, and was due for home leave next month. As an internecine at Stanley, Mr Barclay proved himself an able worker and a true friend. He was a member of the Hongkong Football Club and a keen follower of football and a bowls.

Nationalists' Claim To Mainland Airfield

Taipei, Jan. 15.—The Chinese Nationalists announced today that they had established an airfield in South-west China, and that aircraft would fly in with supplies for the isolated troops still fighting the Communists.

The Nationalist Government also claimed to have tightened the Naval defences of Hainan Island against an expected Communist invasion, while the Air Force bombed and strafed Communist Army concentration points on the China coast.

Government sources said that the Nationalists had established the area in Yunnan province around Manglie, 50 miles from the Indo-Chinese border, requiring the airport to Civil Air Transport planes. The first planes are expected to fly out tomorrow.

Another Nationalist source reported that General Hu Tsung-nan, unsuccessful defender of Chengtu, was moving local successes in Szechwan province, closely by the Nationalists as the centre for anti-Communist guerrilla activities.

The Nationalists think it possible that the turn of province governor, General Lu Han, of Yunnan province, might enter the Government fold. Government sources said that Lu had not received proper accolades from the Communists.

Nationalist sources said that they could keep the airfield open in Yunnan they could

ferry in enough supplies and money to Li Mi and Hu Tsung-nan to impress Lu Han forcefully.—United Press.

U.N. POSITION

Lake Success, Jan. 15.—Nationalist Chinese sources said today that their delegation could fight off any attempt by Chinese Communist sympathisers to oust them from the United Nations Little Assembly, which meets tomorrow.

The Nationalists remain in the UN Security Council on a three-to-six vote, including their own and it appears that they will be able to keep their council seat for an indefinite time.

If the Security Council, five of whose 11 members have recognised the Chinese Communists, did not assist us, then the Little Assembly is unlikely to succeed, said a Nationalist spokesman.

Most of the members of the UN have not recognised the Communists.

The Little Assembly is to take up the charges by the Nationalist leader, Dr T. F. Tsiang, that Soviet Russia has violated old treaties with the Nationalists and given military and other aid to the Chinese Communists.

"HANDS OFF"

The UN General Assembly, in its last session, voted a "hands off" policy on China, but said that the Little Assembly could study any further charges, even to the point of having the Secretary General report the case to the Security Council.

Dr Tsiang has not made known whether he will repeat his demands that UN members withhold all aid from the Chinese Communists and refuse them diplomatic recognition.

Dr Tsiang withdrew his demands in the General Assembly and a dozen nations, including Britain, have since recognised the Communist regime.—Associated Press.



MORNING POST TYPHOON MAP

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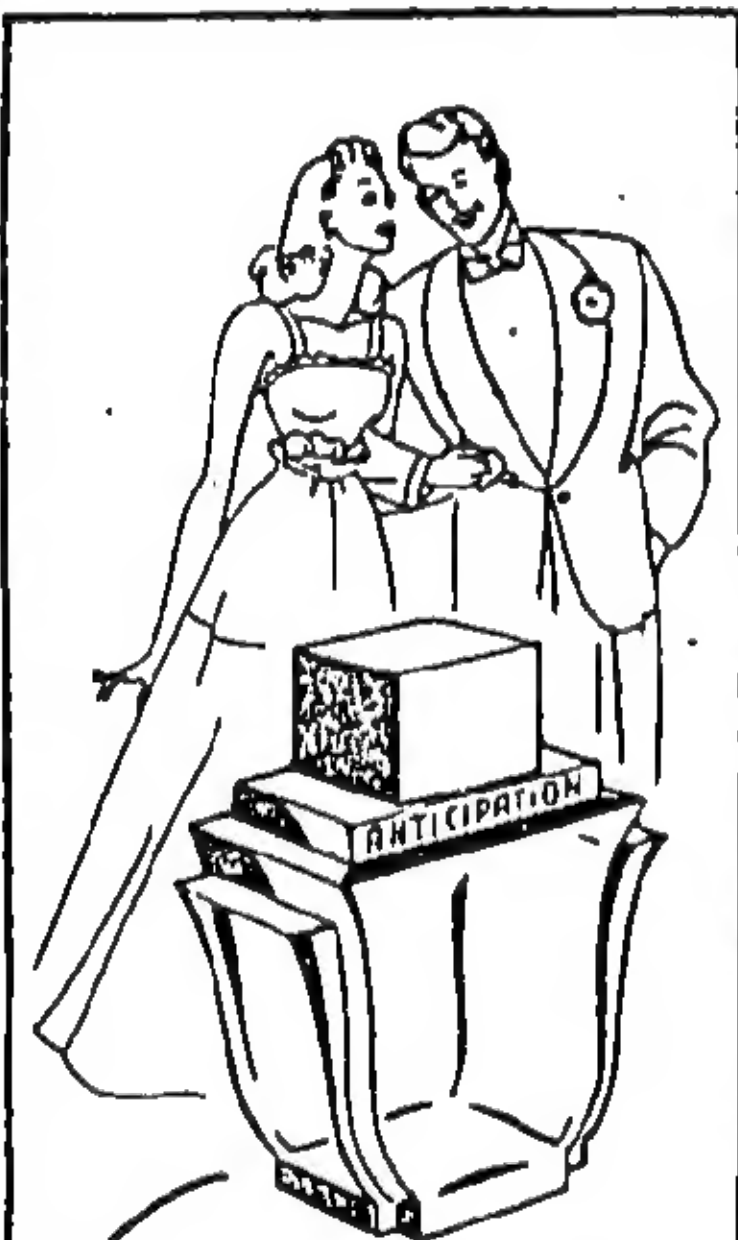
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PRESS PHOTOGRAPHS

Copies of photographs taken by the South China Morning Post and Hong Kong Telegraph Staff Photographers are on view in the Morning Post Building.

ORDERS BOOKED.

Silver And Gold Confiscated

A quantity of silver and gold found concealed aboard the ship Tshaduk and the ss Landbrils last Saturday was ordered to be confiscated by Mr Hing-shing Lo at Central this morning.

Application for confiscation was made by Revenue Insp. L. Millington. No less than 280 silver bars weighing about 400 taels and valued at about \$1,812 were found in the Tshaduk, and 70 gold bars weighing five taels each were found on board the Landbrils. The gold weighing about 380 taels and valued at about \$77,140 was concealed in a hollow enamel bowl among two cases of cargo.

Nobody had laid a claim to the gold and silver.

The two cases of cargo found on the Landbrils were also ordered to be confiscated.

EXHIBITION BY LUIS CHAN

HE the Governor and Lady Grantham will visit Mr Luis Chan's eighth one-man exhibition at the Hotel Cecil at 7.30 p.m. today. The show, which opened on Saturday, will close at 6 p.m. tomorrow.

Red Plan For China's Coal Industry

San Francisco, Jan. 15.—A 1950 plan for China's coal industry has been mapped out by the Ministry of the Fuel Industry of the Communist Government of China, Peking Radio reported tonight. Under this plan the coal production rate throughout Communist China is to be raised by 20 to 30 percent so as to meet the fuel demands of the nation's rehabilitated industries, the Radio said.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"The boss certainly booted one, making that radio speech about how little a dollar will buy—three people have asked for raises today!"

Wingless Experiments



Now 19 weeks old, these wingless chickens are thriving at Newport, Shropshire. They are yellow in colour, and a little below normal weight. They were bred as an experiment.

RUSSIAN DOMINATION OF MANCHURIA INCREASING UNPOPULARITY OF USSR

BY CHANG KUO SIN

The Soviet Russians appear not to be well-liked by the Chinese people in Manchuria, which according to all reliable reports is being used as a testing ground for Soviet Communism in China. Chinese travellers from Manchuria said the people there have nicknamed the Russians "big nose," as they had nicknamed the Japanese "small nose."

They said a Communist cartoonist once drew many caricatures of a foreigner captioned "American Big Nose Imperialist." In one of the captions, he forgot to insert the word "American." The Russians took offence at that, and the cartoonist is now in a training camp for reeducation.

The Russian language has now been made compulsory in all schools in the country. One Communist sponsored Chinese educational mission to Manchuria visited a primary school one day and asked the pupils whether they felt any difference in their attitude towards the Russians since they had been studying Russian in the school. The pupils replied that they had learned to love the Russians.

The pupils pulled a big face but declined to answer.

In the old days, the pupils were taught to love the Russians and the Communist Party staff. According to the Communist propaganda, the pupils were taught to love the Russians and the Communist Party staff.

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PARTY CONTROVERSY

But much controversy is being stirred in Manchuria by the Communist Party's attitude towards the Chinese people. The Communist Party is generally taken as confirmation of private information following into China Proper of the unpopularity of Soviet influence in China's rich North-east.

The exact extent of Soviet domination in Manchuria is hard to assess, but it must be very great, according to popular belief among Chinese circles, because of the Soviet control of the vital Changchun Railway and the terminal ports of Dairen and Port Arthur on the coast.

The Manchuria is now designated a special area. This correspondent has seen a Communist map in which Manchuria was coloured differently from the rest of China. Chinese may travel to any part of China with relative freedom, but travel to Manchuria is strictly controlled.

A special permit has to be obtained from the local authorities with the approval of the Manchurian Communists. Recently, the Communists in Shanghai suspended the issue of

LOW PRODUCTION

The Communist Party, with Soviet financial assistance, have imposed a three year plan which will be started in 1952 for the restoration of Manchuria's industrial and agricultural production.

In the P.H. level, the Manchurian People's Government, said in a report on December 2 in Peking that it had been a year since the first step of the plan had been completed.

It said that communications have been completely restored and reform carried out throughout the country, but the burden of the farmers is still heavy because they are being made to bear the burden of financing the war of "liberation."

According to Chinese travellers the farmers, like the communists in China Proper, are subjected to heavy levies and taxes on their land pro-

BRIGHT NOTE IN GREAT BRITAIN'S HEALTH PICTURE

London, Jan. 15.—Indications of the success of Britain's National Health Scheme was afforded by the publication on January 5 of the Registrar-General's Quarterly Return, covering England and Wales.

Brightest note in the picture was the record-making decrease in stillbirth and infant mortality rates in the September quarter of 1949. Deaths of children less than one year old numbered 4,885, or 26 per 1,000 births. The previous record was set in the same period of 1948, with 5,514 deaths, a rate of 28 per 1,000 births.

Similarly, stillbirths hit a record low of 4,104 (21.9 per 1,000), compared with the previous lowest rate of 4,447 (22.7 per 1,000) in the September quarter of 1948.

The live birth rate went down slightly. Figures show that 103,370 babies were born alive in the September quarter, which gives 10.6 per 1,000 total population, compared with 17.5, 20 and 19.8 in the same quarter of the preceding three years. Of these births, five percent were illegitimate, nearly the same as the 5.3 percent figure for 1948.

Deaths in England and Wales increased 82,071, was definitely less than the figures for 1947 and 1948 119,409 and 90,313 respectively.

The sickness rate of people not reviewed for the report was high. Of the men questioned, 62 percent had been ill at some time during the quarter. The women reported nearly the same 73 percent had been ill, and 43 percent went to the doctor.

No comparative figures were given for cures on physicians before inauguration of the National Health Scheme in July, 1948.

In England and Wales, 6,130 more people married each year in the September quarter of 1949 than for the average of 1948. It stands at 20.6 persons per 1,000 total population.

When this figure is compared with the death rate of 9.2 per 1,000 even it is divided by two to give 10.3 marriages per 1,000, it stands at a record high for the future increase of Englishmen and Welshmen in the world.

Colonial Peoples have been backed in nearly 70 of the 100 British colonies in 1949. The number of people in the colonies has increased by 10 percent since 1948.

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POCKET CARTOON



London Express Service

WAFDIST OPPOSITION IS SPLIT

Cairo, Jan. 15.—Egypt's new Wafdist-dominated Chamber of Deputies will have no combined Opposition when it assembles here tomorrow, it became apparent tonight.

Muhammad Husayn Pasha, leader of the Liberal Constitutional Party, which with 26 seats is one of the strong Opposition groups, told colleagues that the Party had decided to conduct its opposition to Nubia Pasha's Wafdist Government on a separate line from the Sanadists.

The aim of this policy he said, was "in the best interests of the nation without any distinction."

Heykal Pasha put the blame for the consequences of the previous Cabinet's policy on the Sanadists, who with the Liberals had the largest share in the outgoing Government.

When the final election results were announced four days ago, the Wafdist majority had more than twice as many seats as all other parties combined in the new Chamber of Deputies.

Seventy-three year old Nubia Pasha, Prime Minister for the twentieth time, presents his all-Wafdist Cabinet to Parliament tomorrow.

Byrnes To Seek New Office
Spokane, Jan. 15.—James F. Byrnes, former Secretary of State, has announced that he will stand for nomination as Democratic candidate for the Governorship of South Carolina.

Mr. Byrnes, once known as "Big Boy" for his size, is 6'10" tall and 250 pounds. He has served in both Houses of Congress.

ILO ASIAN CONFERENCE OPENS TODAY

Suva, Fiji, Ceylon, Jan. 15.—This quiet little hill station in the heart of Ceylon started with unprecedented activity today as 250 delegates gathered for the first full-scale Asian regional conference of the International Labour Organisation, which opens tomorrow.

Besides the delegates, representing governments, employers, and workers from many parts of Asia, scores of observers and experts of allied international organisations are also attending.

Mr. T. T. Jayah, Ceylon's Minister of Labour, is expected to be elected President of the conference, which will be formally opened by Mr. Leon Trotsky, newly elected Chairman of the ILO Governing Body.

Lord Southbury, Governor-General of Ceylon, will welcome the delegates. They will also hear speeches and messages from Mr. Philip Noel-Baker, British Minister of Commonwealth Affairs, Pandit Nehru, the Indian Prime Minister, and Mr. Ghulam Mohammed, Pakistan's Finance Minister's conference.

After the inaugural session the conference will elect working committees and tackle its six-point agenda.—Reuter.

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"You think this is bad... If a tube ever blows out we'll have to talk to them!"

ROSELLINI'S LOVE LIFE

Rome, Jan. 15.—The actress, Anna Magnani, star of the film "Open City," said today in a letter to a newspaper that she had rejected an offer of marriage from Roberto Rossellini, the director, before he met Ingrid Bergman.

Rossellini's 13-year marriage to Marcello de Marchis was annulled yesterday leaving him free to marry Miss Bergman. Marcello was reported yesterday as saying that she was willing to free him to wed Ingrid but would not have done so to let him wed Anna.—Reuter.



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Severs Relations

London, Jan. 15.—The British Government has today announced that it has decided to sever relations with the Communist Government in Peking.

EDITORIAL

Achievements At Colombo

THE Colombo Conference has ended, and while it is impossible to tell from the winding-up communiqué just what decisions, if any were reached, one can be positive about the cordial, sympathetic and understanding spirit which characterised this historic meeting of top-level British Commonwealth ministers. Mr Spender, the new Australian Minister for External Affairs gave a good clue to the goodwill which prevailed throughout the conference by referring to Mr Bevin's sagacity and advice as a charming tribute at a time when, as Mr Spender observed, he could not seriously wish the Foreign Minister well in the coming elections. But the meaning and temper of the conference was best described by Mr Nehru, who expressed the hope that the parleys had "set an example for such discussions with goodwill and co-operation between men who did not, and need not think alike." And the Indian Premier underlined the significance of the conference by observing that while such meetings may not solve world problems they do help us to prevent things going completely astray. While the formal communiques have given little inkling as to what measure of agreement was reached on the various subjects discussed, they do quite clearly reveal the scope of the talks. The subjects ranged from the political and economic situations (present and possible future) in Indonesia, Malaya, Siam, Burma, Indo-China and China—a formidable array of problems. Mere exchange of ideas in a friendly, receptive atmosphere made the Colombo conference worth while, but it is not stretching credulity too far to believe that the parleys produced even more important results. It is true that Mr Nehru pointed out that it was not the function of the conference to give any executive direction or to lay down any official directions to the governments represented; nevertheless the tone of all the speeches which

brought about the winding-up of the conference strongly suggested that an appreciable degree of unanimity as to the best methods of dealing with the problems of Asia in relation to the problems of the West had been realised. This will manifest itself in correct perspective in the future, but the simple fact that such a conference has been held is striking evidence of the growing solidarity of the British Commonwealth. Here again we echo, in appreciation of the commonsense which the sentiments contain, remarks by Mr Spender when he said that while Australia fully supported the United Nations, "at the same time it is my firm belief that this association of free peoples of the Commonwealth is one of the firmest foundations on which peace can be created." It is a wise utterance for only from free peoples of the world can genuine peace come. The fundamental weakness of the United Nations is that it cannot be united: its membership includes nations whose people are denied any of the ordinary human rights and freedoms associated with the democracies. And because of this the free peoples of the world, which include those of the British Commonwealth, must rely on their own united strength and their united actions to guarantee, as far as guarantees can be offered in these days, peace for themselves and the rest of the universe. Undoubtedly the Colombo conference has accomplished something in this direction. It has advanced the Commonwealth another big and important step towards solidarity in the interests of mankind. There was no ulterior motive behind the discussions. They simply demonstrated that members of the British Commonwealth appreciated that the problems of the world today are indivisible and that the Commonwealth, in concert with other free and democratic nations, intends to find a common solution to them that will be equitable and durable.

SCHUMAN'S VETO

Bonn, Germany, Jan. 15.—The French Foreign Minister, M. Robert Schuman, tonight vetoed plans for German rearmament and for a plebiscite in the Saar, at least until the signing of the peace treaty.

At a press conference in local French headquarters, M. Schuman came out strongly against rearming Germany now. He declared:

"When we have completed demilitarisation of Germany, it is nonsense to speak again of rebuilding the army. Germany has other more important problems to consider—reconstruction and refugees."

M. Schuman left a loophole when referring to the threat created by the para-military police of the Russian Zone, however. He said that if this menace grew to a point "where there is cause for unrest, then there will be consequences which the three allies must face."

M. Schuman's stand on the Saar was unwavering. He said: "There is no place, no legal basis for a plebiscite before the peace treaty. There is a parliament, and the population of the Saar does not want a plebiscite."—United Press.

Quirino In United States



President Elpidio Quirino of the Philippines (right, light hat) receives an enthusiastic greeting from several hundred Filipino nationalists on his arrival at the San Francisco airport. Mr Quirino was enroute to Baltimore for medical treatment.—AP Picture.

Left-Wing MP Denies Scheme To Get Bevin Replaced

London, Jan. 15.—The left wing Labour Member of Parliament, Mr Richard Crossman, denied today that he was "the man behind" a move alleged by Conservative Sunday newspapers to replace Mr Ernest Bevin by the present Minister of Health, Mr Aneurin Bevan, as Foreign Secretary.

Mr Crossman was named by the elections, with the Bevin bonus.

Mr Crossman, who led the national rankers' revolt against Mr Bevin's foreign policy in the present Parliament, was named as head of a new "leftist Twelve" alleged by Socialists opponents to be anxious to see the Foreign Secretary replaced if Labour won the February 23 election.

Mr Crossman today commented: "There is no truth whatsoever in the idea that Mr Bevin has ever asked me to advise him on foreign policy." He added: "We have long predicted that there would be an attempt to move splits in the Labour Party in order to secure

Racing Edition This Afternoon

There will be a special racing edition of the Hongkong Telegraph this afternoon.

It will contain results of the first five events, together with cash sweep winning numbers.

The issue will be on the streets shortly before 4 o'clock.

Tomorrow, the first edition of the Telegraph will carry the full draw for the Peace Memorial Cup mammoth sweepstake, and the racing edition later in the afternoon will feature the result of the race.

Engineers Want More Wages

Birmingham, Jan. 15.—A meeting of the 1,400 members of the Amalgamated Engineering Union today unanimously supported its claim for a weekly wage increase of £1.

The union is one of a number which are not in line with the support of the Trades Union Congress for the Government's "wage freeze," anti-inflation policy.

The TUC on Thursday voted in favour of carrying this policy on through 1950.—Reuter.

Salvage Work On The Truculent Begins Today

Navy Finishes Inspection

London, Jan. 15.—Salvage work will begin tomorrow on the British submarine Truculent which sank in the Thames Estuary last Thursday with the loss of 64 lives after colliding with the Swedish motor tanker Divina.

The Royal Navy has finished its work of inspection.

Divers who went down to the sunken submarine found the engine room telegraph on the conning tower showing "Stop Engines." This would indicate that the submarine might have been trying to check her way after sighting the Divina and to avoid the collision.

The Divina, which was detained by the Admiralty last Friday, was released yesterday and sailed for Ipswich on the British coast today.

A survivor from the Truculent, Dennis Griffiths, today said: "The engines had stopped for about half a minute and then the skipper shouted 'hard astern' but we had no chance to go astern."

The bows went down and the Truculent sank very smoothly, he said.

A buoy was released at 7.10 p.m. GMT, then flooding arrangements were carried out.

SPEARED TO DEATH

Manila, Jan. 16.—The spear-pierced bodies of Dr Robert F. Conklin and Professor Marvin Pittman have been found in a canyon in the Hugao region of North Luzon.

U.S. Air Force men reported finding two bodies today (Monday). They said the two apparently had been stabbed to death about Christmas.

The two educators, both on the faculty of the University of the Philippines, had gone on a hiking trip in the rugged country on December 2. They had expected to return by January 1.

An extensive aerial and ground search for them had been underway for the past two weeks.—Associated Press.

TRAIN DERAILED

Calcutta, Jan. 15.—Six people were killed and two others were seriously injured in a goods train derailment 50 miles south-east of Lucknow, it was learned here today.

The derailment occurred this morning.—Reuter.

Death Of Gen. Arnold



Palo Alto, California, Jan. 15.—General Henry H. Arnold, wartime Commander of the United States Army Air Force, died at his home here today, aged 68.

General Arnold suffered a severe heart attack last July. He went on retirement from the Air Force last early in 1946. He directed the operations of United States aircraft against the enemy in the European and Pacific theatres during the last war.—Reuter.

Nationalist Blockade To Be Continued

Taipei, Jan. 15.—A Nationalist Naval spokesman said today that the government has no intention to relax the blockade of Communist China, adding that any ship which seeks to duplicate the Flying Arrow's effort to break through will get the same response. The spokesman said this applies to British, American or any other vessels.

It pointed out, however, instances in the past where "certain conduct had been given to ships to enter and leave Shanghai. He said that clearance for ships to go into China to bring out Americans are likely to be granted. Such a request is expected soon as a result of the State Department order instructing all Consular and other diplomatic officials to leave as soon as possible.

Staff members of the British Consulate said no instructions in or out.—United Press.

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WOMANSENSE

Must fashion go back to 1927 knee-length horrors?

by SUSAN DEACON

London

WE are being told that women's dress will be influenced mainly by the 1927 look. I can't think why!

There was never a fashion more unkind to women than the straight knee-length skirt and flat-bosomed silhouette of the late '20s.

Fashion designers searching for a "New Look" should look elsewhere for their inspiration.

The 1949 look has settled down—why distort it?

The mid-calf hemline, slightly padded shoulders, and straight skirts are elegant, and for most women easy to wear.

Our waists and bustlines are in the right place and we are comfortable.

Even an up-to-date version of the 1927 look with a higher waistline, would be unattractive.



The curvaceous silhouette given by a shapeless bodice is seen in both these outfits.

As accessories to this fashion trend I hear that the plain court shoe, too, must go and that shoes will be pointed, buckled and strapped.

Pendant earrings reaching almost to shoulder length will take the place of the pearl half-rings and small drops, and doubtless, to complete the flapper look, will be the long cigarette holder and the shingle.

Watch for sales snags

THERE are some barriers to be found in women's clothes in the January sales, but remember that all reductions are not equal. So examine clothes carefully before you buy them.

Search the trade signs for real values, examine the quality of the garment, make sure that the belt is not too tight, the buttons are strong and that the fabric is not faded.

Decorations in women's dress materials are not a luxury. They are a necessity to be more attractive in 1950.

Although rayon stockings will still be scarce in the early part of 1950 there will be more dresses made from rayon material in the shops, made from waffle and ribbed nylon in attractive colors.

It seems expensive for summer dresses, but the washability and quick drying properties of these dresses, often the blow.

Not Only At Christmas!

By G. C. MYERS, Ph.D.

MOST parents have a child's picture of Christmas as a time of great fun and excitement. But the reality is often a time of disappointment and frustration. The child's expectations are often too high, and the reality is often too low. The child's expectations are often too high, and the reality is often too low.

HONGKONG MENUS

Our cookery expert, Mrs. Ida Bailey Allen, has prepared for her readers some Hongkong menus which her friend, Mr. L. G. Shreve, an ECA official in China, suggested. The first of these will be featured in her department tomorrow.

so many of them at Christmas as to appreciate them fully. They are not so much a luxury as a necessity.

Many a child is disappointed at Christmas time from getting so many playthings all at once. He may find from one toy to another that he has not a single thing that he really wants.

After your child has seen and examined all his playthings, persuade him to let you put a few of them in storage. If he is under three or four you might easily spirit some of them away.

Looking toward the future, begin now on a plan to purchase new toys one at a time throughout the year. The total amount you will need to spend on playthings added gradually need not be any greater than the annual amount you have been spending.

Educational Toys

Moreover, if you are alert, you can ascertain the trade name of outstanding educational toys as you come across them, and the name of the manufacturer. A small but increasing number of toy-makers have placed in producing very high grade playthings which have an educational purpose.

As such toys are usually very well-made the price of them may be a bit higher than the usual type of toys which sell fast in large quantities. However, a few of the very best toys enjoy being among the best sellers, especially a few of those meant for the pre-school child.

Toy advisors in high-grade toy stores or toy sections of department stores would also be glad to give you such information. Also, some leaders you know of in the field of child development, child psychology and parent education might be ready to help you or refer you to reliable sources.

Even though you distribute your toy purchases throughout the year you can buy your young child too many toys. Don't overlook the very useful playthings for very young children to be found in any home—spools, clothespins, empty food cartons, pans and the like; also inexpensive materials like crayons, large sheets of coloured paper, kindergarten scissors, paste and modelling clay. More than playthings, your child needs parents who appreciate his creative joys at simple play.

Native Women Of Pacific Inspire Veteran To Create "Charm Guild"

PITTSBURGH

ALAN MICHEL, a 28-year-old veteran of the Pacific war, had a five-year dream fulfilled the day he sat down for the first time at his impressive desk in the offices of Charm Guild, Inc.

"The putting beauty on a production line," he said, "I've been thinking about it for years. Ever since the first time I saw a native woman in the South Pacific."

Charm Guild is a combination beauty salon, mod shop, fashion centre and portrait photography. A woman can buy the latest fashion clothes there or get any beauty treatment she wants. She can attend Michel's modelling school or have her picture made. And she can do all at the same time.

One of the unique things about Michel's business is that a woman, bedraggled after a day's shopping, can go in for a portrait and still look like a movie star when she gets in front of the camera.

Everything Provided

She can have her hair done and her eyebrows plucked, get a facial and the proper make up and be dressed in the latest fashion clothes. A trained teacher of models will help her pose for the picture. After the portrait is made, she can change back into her own clothes and go home. All for no extra charge.

Michel got the idea for his business in 1944 when he went overseas as a lieutenant in the Navy Air Corps.

"Sometimes, we'd find an island that was inhabited. You'd hear the guns about every day that you spent in the islands—don't believe a word of it. They look worse every day."

A lot of the time Michel spent in the Pacific was given to anti-submarine warfare and air support for invasions. But during the long, lonely hours that fighting men spent just sitting and waiting, he thought of

a subject that has always been dear to my heart. Beautiful women.

You have no idea how horrible some of these natives could make themselves look," he recalled. Especially in Hawaii. They speckled their bodies in their wrinkled undergarments. They dyed their bodies and carried themselves. They did the dearest things to themselves.

By JAMES W. HART

After looking at native women for a few months, Michel reached a decision. "I promised myself that when I got home, I was going to do everything I could to make American women even more beautiful than they already were. You might say I felt like a crusader. I wanted to dedicate myself to beauty in women."

When he was discharged from

the Navy at the end of the war, Michel studied business administration at the University of Pittsburgh. In June, 1949, he was graduated and started looking around for business prospects.

Business Grows

He consulted a beauty parlour operator who had been well known in Pittsburgh for 18 years. Together, they developed his plans.

"The thing began to snowball," Michel said. "Every day we talked about it. It seemed to get a little bigger."

Beauty to Michel is more than just having the proper clothes and hair-do. He thinks women should have poise and an air of regality about them.

Hence the modelling school. The photographer was just an added service.

But Michel is more than just a crusader. He thinks he has a pretty good idea for making money, too.—United Press.

TYPEWRITER PORTRAITS



Josef Abel, fashion designer in Frankfurt, Germany, shows some of the portraits he turned out on his typewriter. In background is Rita Hayworth.

Tips on Complexion Care



If you have trouble getting your face really clean try using a cleansing meal twice a week. Or there's a new deep-down cleansing cream that does a thorough job, too.

By HELEN FOLLE

OLD as the hills is the practice of using oils on the skin to keep it soft and smooth and to protect it from the elements. As it was found that oil was not convenient to handle, solids in wax like form were added to compound a substance that would offer resistance to the fingers. There are, of course, fragrant oils that are used for quick clean-ups, but they are not as effective for general cleaning and beautifying of the complexion as emulsions or creams.

Semi-lipid emulsions are the favorite of some women to be used when they want to make a new face for dinner. They can be combined with cosmetic make-up to form packs or masks. Some "beautifiers" use the combination when treating blackheads.

A good rule is to use a thin cream for cleaning and for treating sunburn, a heavy one for massaging during that half hour before going to bed when one attends to one's pulchritude. The light cosmetic can be used for removing make-up. Then the face is washed with warm water and a bland soap, rinsed off gently and the massage cream is applied to remove on over night.

The longer a cream remains on the better and more far-reaching are the results. The face seems to have it, laps it up, looks fresh and colourful in the morning.

There are skins that rebel against soap and only cosmetics as well. One must under these circumstances, clean the face with a cosmetic meal sprinkled on a moist wash cloth. Or there's a new deep-down cleansing cream that might solve the problem.

Certainly, it is wise to "feed one's face." Women who started early in life to use beauty aids are the ones who keep looking youthful.

Let's Eat

BY IDA BAILEY ALLEN

Varied Recipes Make Fish A Boon To Your Pocket-book

Vegetable Soup with Dumplings

Bring 2 qts. water to a boil. Add 1 1/2 tsp. salt 1/4 tsp. pepper and 1 c. split yellow peas. Cover and boil until they are nearly soft, about 30 min. If pre-cooked, from 1 to 1 1/2 hrs. if not pre-cooked. Then add 1/2 c. thin-sliced carrot rounds, 1/4 c. chopped onion, 1/2 c. fine-diced celery, 1/2 c. shredded green beans, 1/2 c. fine-diced white or yellow turnip and 2 tsp. minced parsley. Continue to cook until the vegetables are tender, about 23-30 min. longer. If desired, add ham bone or any kind of meat bone, may be put in the soup in the beginning to give a meat flavour and removed before serving. Garnish each plateful with 3 dumplings.

Dumplings

Melt 2 tsp. shortening. Add 1 small seeded and minced green pepper, and 1 small minced peeled onion. Cook until yellowed. Then stir into 2 c. enriched flour, sifted with 3 tsp. baking powder, 1/2 tsp. salt and 1/4 tsp. powdered thyme. Stir in 3/4 c. water or reconstituted dry skim milk. Transfer to a lightly floured board, and pat to 1/2 in. in thickness. Cut into 1 in. squares. Drop into a kettle containing 2 qts. rapidly boiling salted water. Cover and boil 12-15 min. Remove with a perforated spoon and serve in vegetable soup.

Varieties

"Of course, Madame, if the food budget is not limited, you have the wonderful Maine lobsters; the Long Island oysters and clams; the Maryland crabs; the Florida pompano; the Louisiana shrimp; white fish from the Great Lakes; the Colorado rainbow trout."

"Now wait a minute, Chef. These are all de luxe foods. And we are talking about better meals for less money."

"Ah, oui, Madame! So I would suggest a good roast fish dinner once each week, a cod or haddock, red snapper, catfish, sea bass or pike, for example. And for a second fish service each week, a tasty dish made from porgies, mackerel, perch or other small fish, or frozen fillets, such as the tomato-baked fish in our menu."

Dinner

Vegetable Soup with Dumplings
Tomato-Baked Porgies or Mackerel
Baked Potatoes
Summer Squash
Cabbage Salad with "Green Dressing"
Apple Cream Pie
Coffee or Tea Milk (Children)
Include enriched or whole grain bread or rolls with butter or margarine
All Measurements Are Level
Recipes Serve Four

Tomato-Baked Porgies Or Mackerel

Clean, split and season two (1 lb.) porgies or mackerel. Rub the fish with 1/4 tsp. powdered thyme or marjoram, and place in an oiled baking pan. Dust with salt and pepper. Put a layer of seasoned, drained, minced tomato inside each fish. Surround with tomato. Dot the fish with 1 tsp. margarine, shortening or safflower oil, and bake 35 min. in a moderate oven, 350 F. or until the flesh flakes when tested with a fork. Serve sprinkled with parsley.

Tomato-Baked Fish Fillets

In place of whole fish use from 1 1/2 to 2 lbs. fish fillets, any kind. Season as described above. Place half the fillets in an oiled baking pan. Cover with seasoned minced tomatoes, then with a second layer of fillets, and finish as directed.

Suggestion of the Chef

To make "green dressing" for cabbage salad, combine 2 tsp. minced green pepper, 1 tsp. minced parsley, 1/2 tsp. minced fresh dill and 1/4 c. French dressing.

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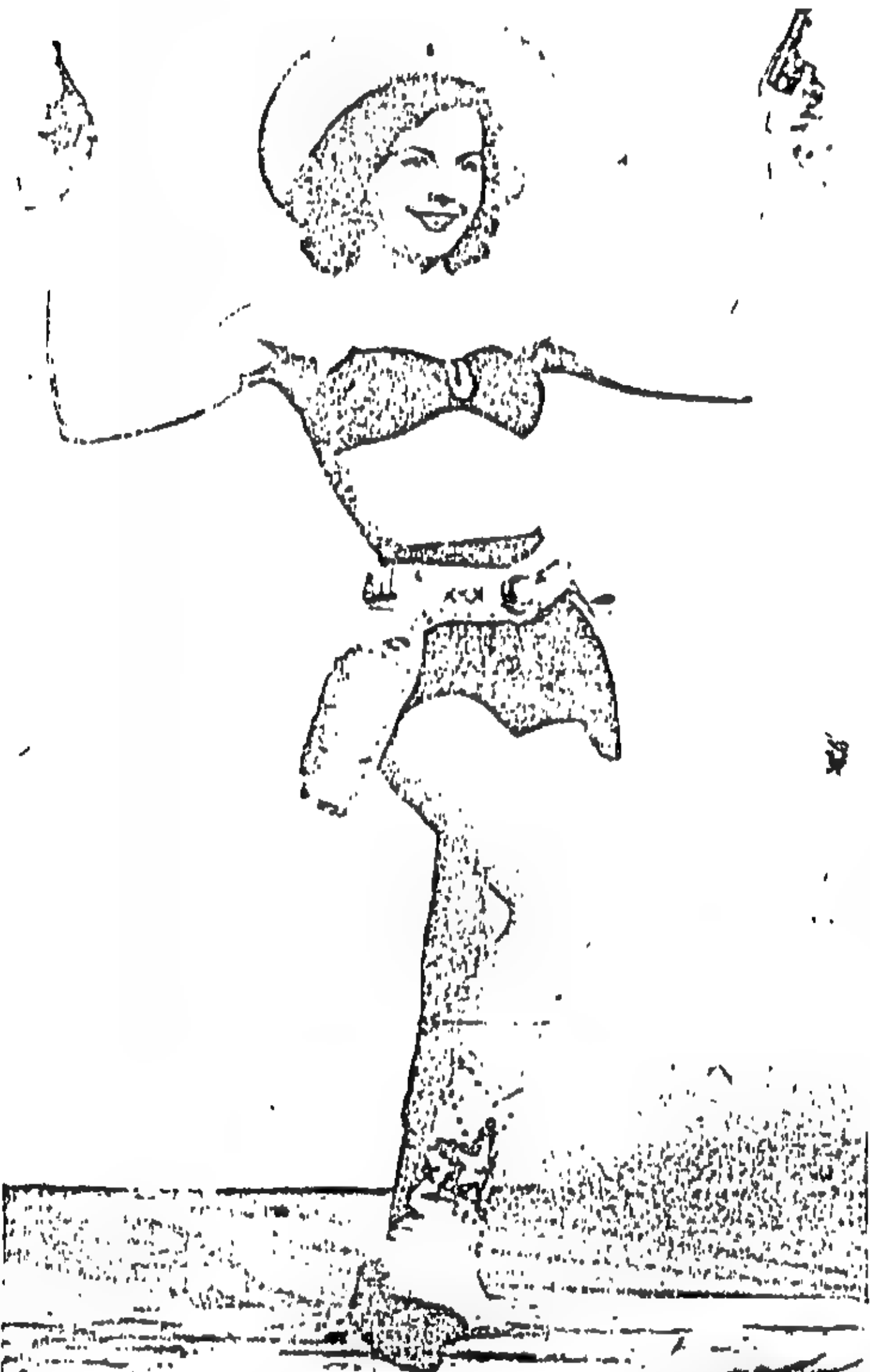
HE HAS THE KNOW-HOW—Starting with such basic raw materials as hard tins, old hot plates and discarded vacuum cleaners, young Johnny Clive Williams, 16, of Fayette, Alabama, is setting a fast pace for future farmers. His electrical achievements on the farm have won considerable attention. He is shown here with two of his four registered Jersey cows.



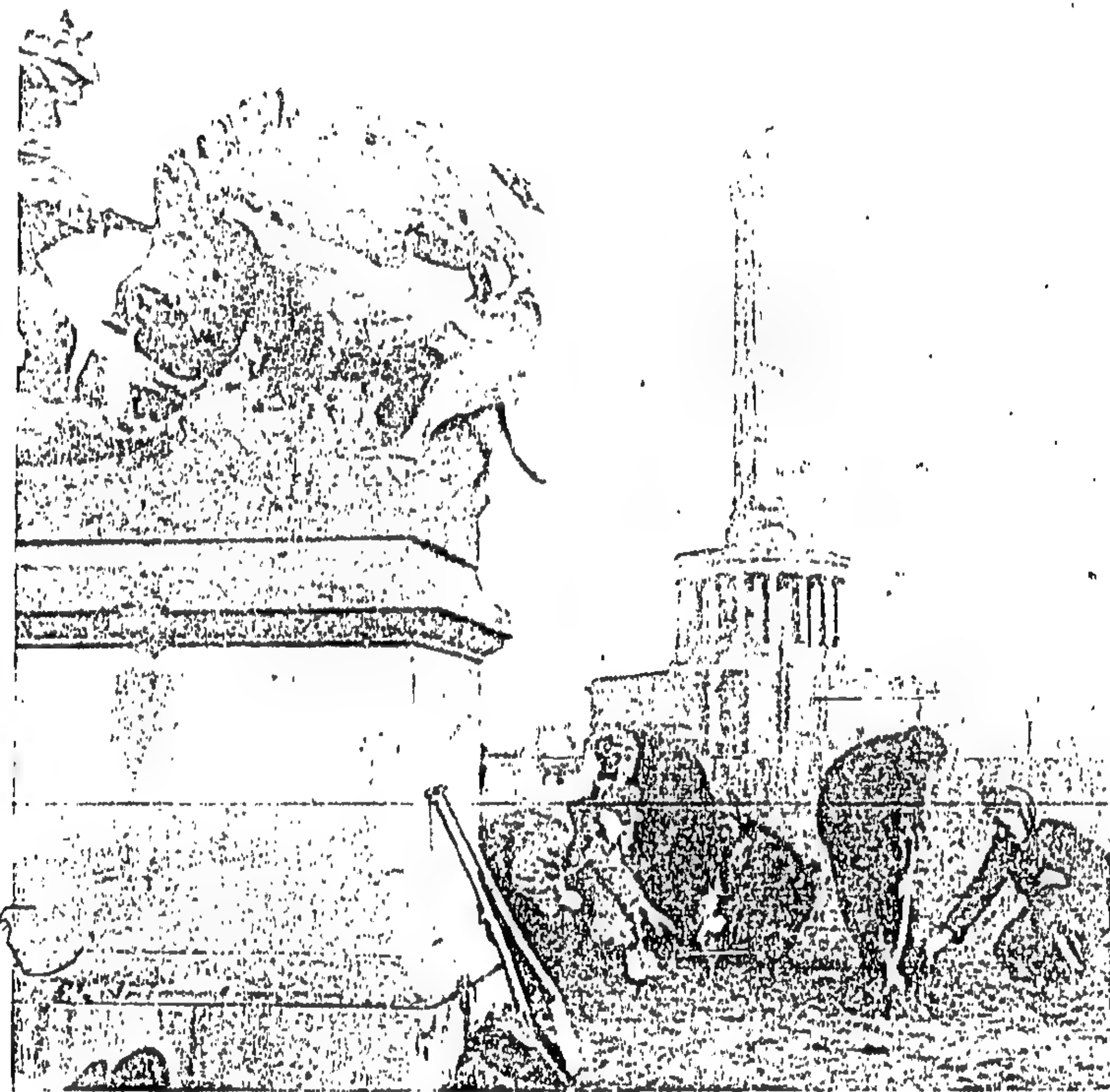
THOROUGHLY ESCORTED—Dressed in miniature uniforms of the Lanciers, two youthful but soldierly pages escort this young bridesmaid to a wedding in London. Their dignified bearing must indicate the great responsibility they feel.



GROWING UP—Actress Joan Crawford has been the star of many Hollywood premieres. On this occasion, she's treating two of her adopted children, Christine, left, and Christopher, to their first one in the film capital.



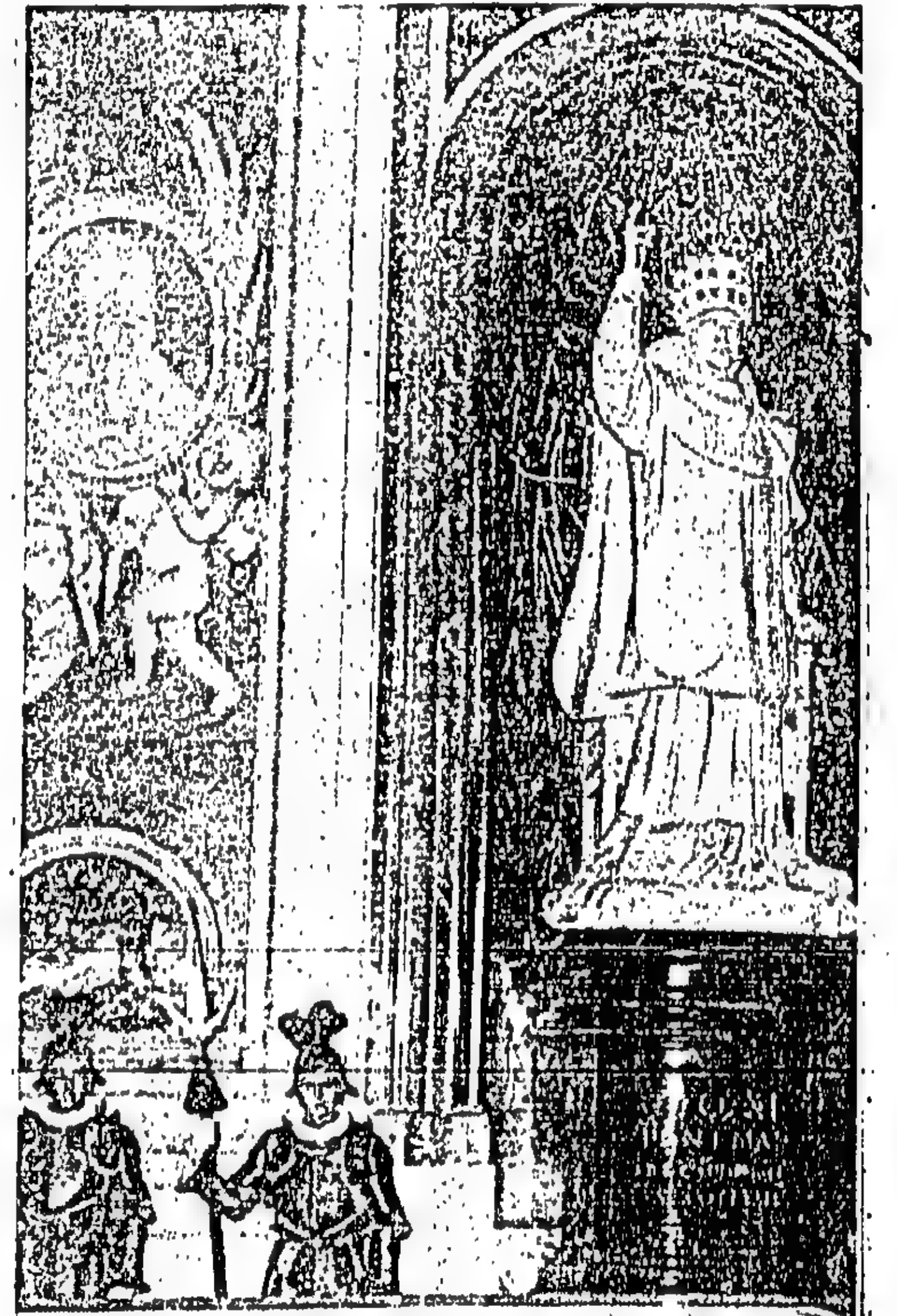
PISTOL-PACKIN' STARLET—Laura Elliott appears well-armed, in addition to being well-endowed with natural beauty. Laura's one of the busiest starlets in Hollywood, having appeared in 10 films in 15 months.



REPLANT BERLIN BATTLEGROUND—Gardeners plant small trees in the famous Tiergarten, which was destroyed during the battle for Berlin. The city of Bremen sent a gift of 30,000 oak, beech and lime trees to Berlin. In the foreground is a bullet-scarred monument depicting a wild boar hunt. In the background is a triumphal column.



RIDING HIGH—Claudette Stacey rides along the beach at San Juan, Puerto Rico, on the shoulders of Tomas Sanchez. They are dressed as pirates in search of rum.



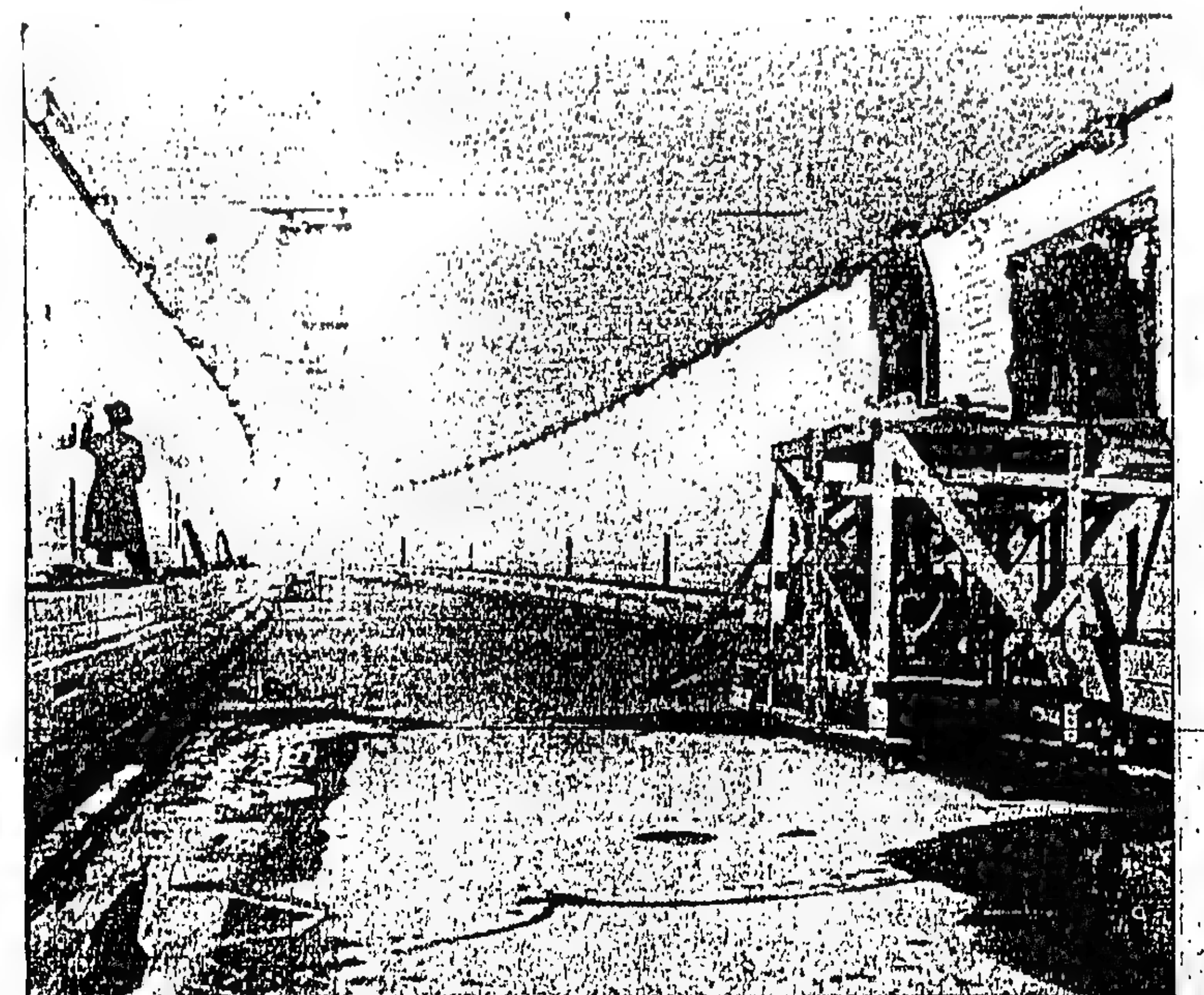
GUARDING THE STATUE—Colourful Swiss Guards stand by this 14-foot-high marble statue of Pope Pius XI in the chapel of St Sebastian in St Peter's Basilica, Rome. The statue was unveiled during a solemn ceremony attended by Pope Pius XII, who read a message of praise for his predecessor.



GUESTS AT PUPPET SHOW—These New York youngsters display a variety of moods as they watch a puppet show. The kiddies were guests at a children's party at which they were given ice cream, cake and gifts.



CONGRATULATIONS—After Margaret Truman made her first New York song recital, opera star Lauritz Melchior kissed her heartily backstage at Carnegie Hall.



FOR HAPPY MOTORISTS—The longest tile job ever undertaken in the U.S. is nearing completion in New York City's new \$80,000,000 Brooklyn-Battery tunnel. More than 780,000 square feet of tile, or enough for 6,500 average bathrooms, are being used on this job, which will be completed next spring. Here workmen are putting the finishing touches on a completed portion of the tunnel.

